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Absolute Value Transformations

$$f(x) = a|x - h| + k$$

- **a:** _____
- **h:** _____ **Vertex:** _____
- **k:** _____

Describe the transformations:

1. $f(x) = |x + 1| - 3$

2. $f(x) = -|x| + 4$

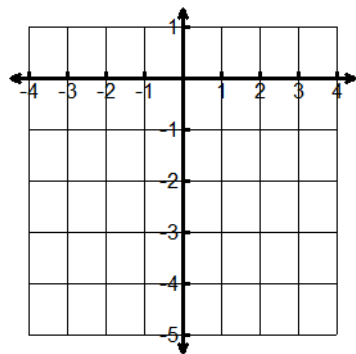
3. $f(x) = 2|x - 1| - 6$

4. $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}|x + 2| + 3$

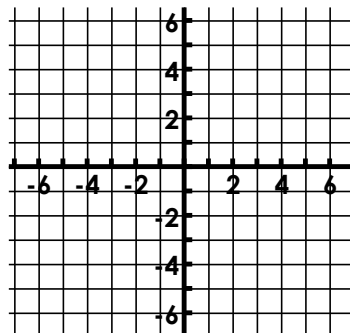
Graph the following absolute value functions using transformations

5. $f(x) = 2|x - 1| - 4$

6. $f(x) = -|x + 2| + 3$



Vertex _____
 Transformations:

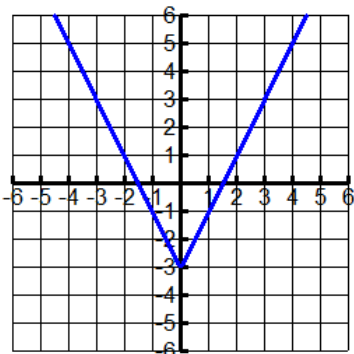


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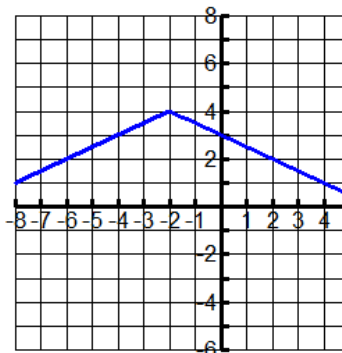
Write the equation of the absolute value given the graph.

7. $f(x) =$ _____

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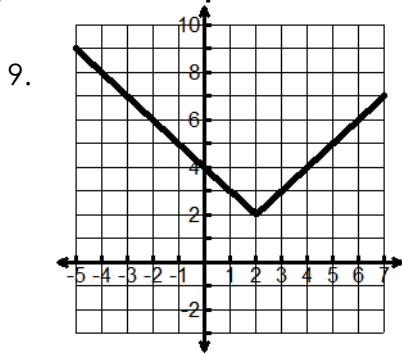


Vertex _____
 a: _____

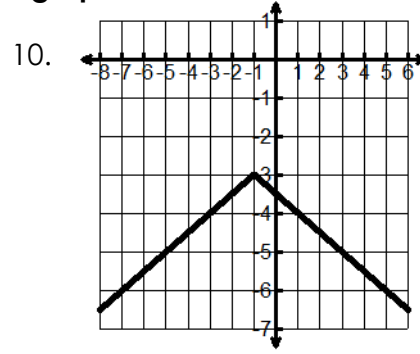


Vertex _____
 a: _____

You try!! Write the equation of the absolute value given the graph.



$f(x) =$ _____



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Solving Absolute Value Equations: $|ax + b| = c$, where $c > 0$

- Isolate the absolute value, then split into 2 equations: $ax + b = c$ or $ax + b = -c$
- ALWAYS check for extraneous solutions!

11. Solve for x: $|x - 3| = 6$

12. Solve for x: $|6x - 3| = 15$

13. Solve for x: $|2x + 7| - 3 = 8$

14. Solve for x: $|2x - 5| = 9$

15. Solve for x: $|2x + 5| = 11$

16. Solve for x: $|4x + 10| = 6x$